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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
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In re application of: )  
JAMES PATRICK CLINCH; PAUL )  
DOUGLAS PURDY and JAMES RAY ) FOR: CAGE NUT ASSEMBLY HAVING  
BERKSHIRE ) STAND-OFF NUT  
N.O.A. Dated: 10/14/2004 )  
Serial No.: 10/619,340 ) Examiner: KATHERINE W. MITCHELL  
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SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION AFTER ALLOWANCE

JAMES PATRICK CLINCH; PAUL DOUGLAS PURDY and JAMES RAY  
BERKSHIRE whose residence and citizenship are noted below, and  
whose application for Letters Patent of the United States for an  
invention entitled:

**CAGE NUT ASSEMBLY HAVING STAND-OFF NUT**

was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on  
July 14, 2003 Serial No. 10/619,340 was allowed on July 14, 2003,  
declare that we believe that we are the original, first and sole  
inventors of the subject matter for which a patent is sought on  
the said invention, as set forth in the specification as finally  
amended and claimed in the claims as finally allowed in said  
application; we hereby state that we have reviewed and understand  
the contents of the above-identified specification, including the  
claims, as finally amended and allowed; and we acknowledge the  
duty to disclose information which is material to the examination  
of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal  
Regulations, §1.56(a).

We declare further that all statements made herein of  
our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on  
information and belief are believed to be true; and further that  
these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false  
statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or  
imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the  
United States Code and that such willful false statements may  
jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing  
thereon.

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